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NO. 43

DEATH AT ARENTSVILLE

DANIEL LEISTER SUDDENLY PASSES AWAY.

Lived With the Leister Family at Meade's Headquarters at Time of the Battle.

Daniel Leister, a highly respected citizen of Arentsville, died suddenly on last Friday afternoon. He had been in his usual health during the morning. At noon he was attacked by acute indigestion and died about two o'clock. He was aged 65 years. Mr. Leister was a member of the family that lived at Meade's Headquarters during the Battle of Gettysburg. He followed the vocation of farming, living in Butler township most of his life. For the past several years he has been living retired in Arentsville. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Ellen Carey, and by two sisters, Mrs. Samuel Gochauer of Bendersville, and Miss Mary Leister of Gettysburg. Funeral was held Monday with services by Rev. T. C. Hesson, interment in Fairview Cemetery, Arentsville.

Mrs. Margaret M. Chronister, widow of Henry Chronister, died on Wednesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Laura V. Snyder, on Steinwehr avenue, Gettysburg. She was aged 71 years and 10 months. Death was caused by cancer. Mrs. Chronister formerly lived in the vicinity of McKnightstown, but since March had been making her home with her sister here. Mr. Chronister died about forty years ago. She leaves one son, Albertus C. Chronister, of near Biglerville. She also leaves five sisters and four brothers, Mrs. Laura V. Snyder, Gettysburg; Mrs. Theodore Myers, Fayetteville; Mrs. James Lauver and Mrs. Daniel Kohn, Cashtown; Mrs. William A. Bittinger, Quincy; Simon S. Smith, Cashtown; John F. Smith and William L. Smith, Canton, Ohio; Joseph Smith, Polo, Ill. Funeral was on Friday morning with services and interment at Flohr's Church, conducted by Rev. D. T. Koser, her pastor.

William Fissel died at his home in Hampton on Wednesday after an illness of four months, in his 71st year. He leaves his wife and three sons, Lewis Fissel of Harrisburg, Jacob Fissel of Illinois, and Clayton Fissel at home. One brother, George Fissel, of Gettysburg, and three sisters, Mrs. Mary J. Bair of Philadelphia; Mrs. George Whister of East Berlin, and Miss Phoebe Fissel of Baltimore, survive. The funeral will be held on Saturday morning with short services at the house at 9 o'clock and further services in the Reformed Church in Hampton by Rev. Irvin S. Ditzler, interment in the family lot in the Reformed Church Cemetery at Hampton.

Mrs. Ellen M. Weaver, wife of John S. Weaver, died suddenly at her home near Brushtown last Sunday evening from paralysis, aged 55 years, 2 months and 22 days. Mrs. Weaver had retired in her usual good health a short time before. Her husband, some time later noticed that her breathing was unusual, tried to arouse her but to no avail. A doctor was summoned, but she died before he arrived. She was a daughter of the late Joseph Kuhn and wife, of near Littlestown, and besides her husband, is survived by the following children: Mrs. Paul Staub of McSherrystown; Joseph R. John W. Leo E. and Miss Emma E. Weaver, all at home; a sister, Mrs. Catherine Rider, of McSherrystown, and five brothers, Henry Kuhn of Square Corner, William Kuhn of Frederick, Augustus Kuhn of Mt. Pleasant township, Edward Kuhn of Mt. Rock, and Samuel Kuhn of Mt. Pleasant. The funeral was on Wednesday with requiem, high mass in St. Mary's Church by Rev. L. Aug. Reuter, interment in St. Mary's Cemetery, McSherrystown.

Henry Graville Jacoby died at his home near Littlestown June 4, from a paralytic stroke. He was born in Mt. Pleasant township, Adams county, and was a son of the late Henry Jacoby. He was aged 61 years, 10 months and 25 days, and is survived by his wife and the following children: William Jacoby of Square Corner, Mrs. Richard Withers and Mrs. Harrison Snyder of near Littlestown, and Granville R. Jacoby at home. He is also survived by a brother, William Jacoby of New Oxford, and two sisters, Miss Julia Jacoby of New Oxford and Miss Louisa Jacoby of Littlestown. Funeral and interment were at St. James Church, Mt. Pleasant township.

Samuel Henry Ingle, a former resident of Straban township, died at the home of his son, Frederick Ingle, in Wellsville, last Sunday aged 65 years, 1 month and 9 days. He leaves his wife and the following children: Frank Ingle of Roswell, New Mexico; Mrs. Josephine Pifer of New Oxford, and Frederick Ingle of Wellsville, York county. He is survived by one brother, James Ingle, of New Castle, Delaware. Funeral services were held Thursday, interment at Grace Evangelical Church at Uriah.

Michael M. Little, one of York's best known citizens, died June 9, after an illness of about five years, aged 78 years. Death was caused by pneumonia. Mr. Little was born in O. Box 30, Roland Park, Baltimore, Maryland.

but spent the past forty-five years in York. For many years he served as councilman, and as school director. He was a builder by trade and for some time served as a superintendent of construction work for J. A. Dempwolff, the architect. Later he returned to his position with Jacob Beitzel & Sons, where he had been superintendent of the planing mill for many years. He leaves a wife and nine children. One brother survives, John Little of Philadelphia.

Former Judge John C. Motter of Frederick, for 15 years occupying the bench in Frederick and Montgomery counties, Md., leader of the Frederick Bar, for forty years the acknowledged head of the Republican party in his county, died on Saturday, June 12. He was a native of Emmitsburg, a son of Jacob and Elmira Troxell Motter and was born in 1842. Locating in Frederick in 1868 he soon established a reputation in criminal work and taking up politics was soon the acknowledged leader of his party. He made a record on the Bench, with few reversals from the Court of Appeals. He leaves two sons and four daughters.

Mrs. Gertrude B. Nelson, wife of William J. Nelson, Gettysburg, died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Garland, York, Sunday, aged about 21 years. She resided in Gettysburg several months, but about three years ago went to live with her parents. Her husband, William Nelson, is employed at the National Garage, this place. She is survived by her parents and a sister living in York. The funeral was held from the First Methodist Church on Wednesday, with interment in York.

Harry Y. Chronister, a prominent farmer residing about one mile from East Berlin, died June 9, from heart trouble, aged 71 years, 3 months and 11 days. He is survived by two sons and two daughters. Funeral on last Saturday with services in the Hampden Church by Rev. Garrett of New Oxford, interment in the adjoining cemetery.

Kenneth Stanley Bream, the only child of Mervin and Elizabeth Bream of Harrisburg, died on Monday from pneumonia and whooping cough, aged 9 months and 21 days. The funeral was held in St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Biglerville, services by Rev. Thomas Reich, assisted by Rev. C. F. Flora, on Wednesday.

Rev. Secundus Lazare for nearly twenty-five years chaplain at St. Joseph's Academy, Emmitsburg, died at the Mother House of the Congregation of the Mission at Germantown, last Saturday. He went to Emmitsburg in 1873 where he was Professor of Theology.

Mrs. Charles Topper died at her home in Liberty township, not far from the Maryland line, on last Friday morning. The interment was made in the Emmitsburg Cemetery. She leaves besides her husband fifteen children.

Infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan P. Stoner, died at their home in Cumberland township on Monday, aged 2 months and 8 days. Funeral services were held Wednesday with interment at Fairfield.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Myers, of Bittinger's Station, near Littlestown, and besides her husband, is survived by the following children: Mrs. Paul Staub of McSherrystown; Joseph R. John W. Leo E. and Miss Emma E. Weaver, all at home; a sister, Mrs. Catherine Rider, of McSherrystown, and five brothers, Henry Kuhn of Square Corner, William Kuhn of Frederick, Augustus Kuhn of Mt. Pleasant township, Edward Kuhn of Mt. Rock, and Samuel Kuhn of Mt. Pleasant. The funeral was on Wednesday with requiem, high mass in St. Mary's Church by Rev. L. Aug. Reuter, interment in St. Mary's Cemetery, McSherrystown.

National Speaker Here.

Mrs. Deborah Knox Livingston of the National W. C. T. U. Superintendent of Franchise, head of the largest organization of women in America, visited Gettysburg this week and spoke in St. James Chapel on Wednesday evening to a small audience that should have been many times larger. Gettysburg has been fortunate in hearing prominent speakers and Mrs. Livingston ranks with the most talented speakers in the country. Her address was brilliant and convincing. She drove home the conclusion that the only way to succeed in the fight the W. C. T. U. has made against intemperance and other wrongs is by giving the ballot to women. In every State where women have the ballot the environment has been made cleaner and better. In a most emphatic way she declared that the W. C. T. U. and the liquor interests agreed upon one matter, and that was that the ballot in the hands of women would drive liquor out of communities that was the reason the temperance advocates were fighting so hard for the ballot, and that was why the liquor interests were doing their utmost to prevent women from getting the ballot. The fight of the anti-suffragists

was a very small part of the contest so small it was not worth while to bother about, the real fight with money and power back of it was being made by the liquor interests.

When the men understood this fact they would certainly give their wives, mothers and sisters equal franchise. The few men present were so impressed with Mrs. Livingston's message that they are trying to make arrangements for her return to address a large audience.

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PROFESSOR ROY D. KNOUSE

WEDS MISS RHEA MARCH OF ABBOTTSTOWN.

Church Wedding at Fairfield of Jas. A. King and Miss Louella T. Sanders.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen March of Abbottstown was the scene of a beautiful wedding on Monday evening. The house was prettily decorated with daisies and over three hundred guests witnessed the happy event of the marriage of Miss Rhea March, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen March to Prof. Roy D. Knouse, principal of the Littlestown schools. The ring ceremony was used by Rev. Walter E. Barrett, pastor of the Reformed Church. The ceremony took place at 8 o'clock. Before the bridal party entered the parlor Miss Mary Fritch, of Mauchline, sang "O Promise Me," accompanied on the piano by Miss Virginia McCarty, head of the Department of Music at Hood College. As the bride entered the parlor Miss Louise Lightner, a former resident of Franklin township, was married in Dixon, Ill., where both young people now reside, June 1st.

Eggar-Lightner.—Floyd E. Eggar and Miss Louise Lightner, a former resident of Franklin township, were married in Dixon, Ill., where both young people now reside, June 1st.

Invitations have been issued to the marriage of Miss Helen Grace Sanders and J. Harry Pecker, to take place on Tuesday morning, June 22, at 8:30 o'clock, in St. Mary's Catholic Church, Fairfield.

Vaughn-Kreitz.—Clarence R. Vaughn, of Gettysburg, and Miss Sarah Georgeanna Kreitz of Emmitsburg, were married at St. John's rectory, Frederick, on Thursday by Rev. Fr. W. J. Kane.

Associates Hold Court.

On Monday Associate Judges W. Howard Dicks and Leo A. Sneeringer held the June court for the transaction of current business. President Judge S. McC. Swope went to Fulton county the same day to hold court there. The associates disposed of the following matters:

Upon petition of a number of residents of Huntington township Richard J. Kline was appointed auditor to succeed John D. Bricker, resigned.

Cain in Gilbert of Gettysburg, Michael Robert of East Berlin, and Henry Moore of New Oxford, were appointed to inspect the new interchange bridge over Beaver Creek between Hamilton township, Adams county, and Paradise township, York county.

The Citizens' Trust Company was appointed trustee of a fund of \$100 in the hands of Nora B. Berkheimer, administratrix of the estate of Emanuel Berkheimer.

The accounts of John M. Wisler, executor of the estate of Samuel D. Wisler, deceased, was confirmed and the executor discharged.

The first and final account of M. L. Cline, administrator of the estate of William F. Cline, late of Bendersville, was confirmed, showing a balance of \$547.09.

The first and final account of Sarah C. Dutera and John A. Dutera, administrators of the estate of Amos M. Dutera, late of Mt. Pleasant township, was confirmed, showing a balance of \$870.40.

The first and final account of William H. Smith, administrator of the estate of Alfred E. Howe, late of Huntington township, was confirmed, showing a balance of \$2307.56.

The first and final account of Geo. B. Wisler, administrator of the estate of Jonathan Wisler, late of Franklin township, was confirmed, showing a balance of \$23,645.29.

The first and final account of Mary A. Frock and James E. Frock, executors of the will of the late William H. Frock of Gettysburg, was confirmed, showing a balance of \$2,065.51.

The first and final account of C. H. Walter, administrator of the estate of Elizabeth A. Walter, late of Hamiton township, was confirmed.

The report of Wm. Arch. McClean, auditor in the assigned estate of Walter Smiley, was confirmed, nisi.

The report of J. L. Williams, auditor in the assigned estate of David Tipton and wife, was confirmed absolute.

The court adjourned to meet next Monday, June 21, when several matters for argument will be heard.

Silver Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Butt on last Saturday evening delightfully entertained a large number of their friends on the silver anniversary of their marriage, June 12, 1886. Miss Katherine Stahle daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Stahle of Gettysburg, and Jacob Lawrence Butt, son of Knightstown, were married in Trinity Reformed Church, by Dr. T. J. Barkley, D.D., the pastor, assisted by Rev. Milton H. Sangree, pastor of the time the Reformed Churches of Fairfield, McKnightstown and Cashtown. Upon the happy silver anniversary Mrs. Butt wore the same gown in which she was married, carried the same fan and used the same gloves and wore similar flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Butt received the warmest congratulations of their many friends upon the silver anniversary, with wishes for many more years of happiness.

Rummage Sale.

A great chance to get rid of anything you do not want, clothing, furniture, household goods, kitchen utensils, etc.

Articles will be received at the Warner building, Baltimore street all day Saturday, June 19th. Sale to begin at 9 o'clock a. m. Monday, June 20th.

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bride. The newly married couple went on a honeymoon trip to Philadelphia and Atlantic City. Upon their return they will reside at the home of the bride's parents.

Dale—Young.

On Tuesday evening Henry Lorimer Dale and Miss Margaret Edna Young of Altoona, were united in marriage by the Rev. A. E. Wagner, D.D., at the College Lutheran parsonage, Springs avenue. The bridegroom is a graduate of the Agricultural Department of State College. The bride, a former parishioner of Dr. Wagner's is a trained nurse. They will make their home in Connecticut where Mr. Dale will superintend a large farm.

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ARENDSVILLE.

Owing to the rain on the 29th ult., the memorial services were postponed until the 5th inst., and were largely attended.

Mrs. Edward Raffensperger has a force of men putting down concrete pavement and is adding a new porch to the front of her house.

The early potatoes make an excellent appearance and with a few more weeks of good growing weather will make an excellent crop.

Strawberries are rather a short crop and still selling at two boxes for 25 cents.

Last Sunday morning the P. O. S. of A. attended Rev. T. C. Hesson's services in a body in the Reformed Church in this place.

Misses Abigail and Mary Hemminger and Miss Teisha Grover of Greencastle, Pa., who are students at the Mechanicsburg College were the recent guests of Miss Vida Koser in the home of Rev. and Mrs. D. T. Koser in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sauters, daughter Della, Mrs. Wm. Weaver, at Compiler Office.

and Charley Market, of Spring Grove visited Mrs. Jacob Klepper on Sunday.

Daniel Hartzell of Nachusa, Ill., is visiting his brother, Harry W. Hartzell, in this place.

Mrs. Geo. Knipper and J. O. Johnson are visiting relatives at Ledgemont, N. J., their former home.

T. F. Hesson and wife of Littlestown spent Saturday and Sunday in the home of their son, Rev. T. C. Hesson, in this place.

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S. S. W. HAMMERS.

Hanover and Gettysburg Bus Line

TIME TABLE

IN EFFECT MAY 23rd, 1915.

Subject to change without notice.

	WEEK DAYS ONLY
Leave Hanover	6:50 a. m. and 1:00 p. m.
Leave Abbottstown	7:20 " and 1:30 "
Leave New Oxford	7:55 " and 1:45 "
Leave Gettysburg	8:30 a. m. and 3:00 p. m.
Leave New Oxford	9:00 " and 3:30 "
Leave Abbottstown	9:15 " and 3:45 "

SUNDAY

Leave Hanover	8:00 a. m. and 1:00 p. m.
Leave Abbottstown	8:30 " and 1:30 "
Leave New Oxford	8:45 " and 1:45 "

Cars stops on signal at any place along the line. Cars connect with trolley line at Hanover for York and Littlestown.

CALVIN GOOD, Mgr.
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NOTICE

The first and final account of Geo. W. Stallsmith, attorney-in-fact of Levi H. Stallsmith, has been filed, and will be confirmed on June 14th, 1915, at 10:30 a. m., unless cause be shown to the contrary.

T. MARSHALL MEHRING.

John Burns Relics Wanted.

J. W. Johnston of Rochester, N. Y., will purchase John Burns relics of all kinds, autograph letters and other material that can be authenticated. Call or send for J. Louis Sowers, Mr. Johnston's representative, who is authorized to purchase all such material.

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SECOND NOTE TO GERMANY**PRESIDENT WILSON FIRM IN HIS DEMAND AS SET OUT IN**

First Note, United States Contending for High and Sacred Rights of Humanity Violated by Germany.

"The Secretary of State ad interim to the American Ambassador at Berlin:

"Department of State

"Washington, June 9, 1915

"American Ambassador, Berlin:

"You are instructed to deliver textually the following note to the Minister of Foreign Affairs:

"In compliance with Your Excellency's request, I did not fail to transmit to my Government immediately upon their receipt your note of May 28 in reply to my note of May 15, and your supplementary note of June 1, setting forth the conclusions so far as reached by the Imperial German Government concerning the attacks on the American steamers *Cushing* and *Gulflight*. I am now instructed by my Government to communicate the following in reply:

WILL GIVE GERMANY FACTS.

"The Government of the United States notes with gratification the full recognition by the Imperial German Government, in discussing the cases of the *Cushing* and the *Gulflight*, of the principle of the freedom of all parts of the open sea to neutral ships and the frank willingness of the Imperial German Government to acknowledge and meet its liability where the fact of attack upon neutral ships which have not been guilty of any hostile act by German aircraft or vessels of war is satisfactorily established; and the Government of the United States will in due course lay before the Imperial German Government as it requests full information concerning the attack on the steamer *Cushing*.

"With regard to the sinking of the steamer *Falaha*, by which an American citizen lost his life, the Government of the United States is surprised to find the Imperial German Government contending that an effort on the part of a merchantman to escape capture and secure assistance alters the obligation of the officer seeking to make the capture in respect of the safety of the lives of those on board the merchantman, although the vessel has ceased her attempt to escape when torpedoed.

"These are not new circumstances. They have been in the minds of statesmen and of international jurists throughout the development of naval warfare, and the Government of the United States does not understand that they have ever been held to alter the principles of humanity upon which it has insisted. Nothing but actual forcible resistance or continued efforts to escape by flight when ordered to stop for the purpose of visit on the part of the merchantman has ever been held to forfeit the lives of her passengers or crew.

QUESTION OF THE LUSITANIA.

"The Government of the United States, however, does not understand that the Imperial German Government is seeking in this case to relieve itself of liability, but only intends to set forth the circumstances which led the commander of the submarine to allow himself to be hurried into the course which he took.

"Your Excellency's note, in discussing the loss of American lives resulting from the sinking of the steamship *Lusitania*, adverts at some length to certain information which the Imperial German Government has received with regard to the character and outfit of that vessel, and your Excellency expresses the fear that this information may not have been brought to the attention of the Government of the United States.

"It is stated in the note that the *Lusitania* was undoubtedly equipped with masked guns, supplied with trained gunners and special ammunition, transporting troops from Canada, carrying a cargo not permitted under the laws of the United States to a vessel also carrying passengers and serving, in virtual effect, as an auxiliary to the naval forces of Great Britain. Fortunately, these are matters concerning which the Government of the United States is in a position to give the Imperial German Government official information.

MISINFORMED AS TO FACTS

"Of the facts alleged in Your Excellency's note, if true, the Government of the United States would have been bound to take official cognizance in performing its recognized duty as a neutral power and in enforcing its national laws. It was its duty to see to it that the *Lusitania* was not armed for offensive action, that she was not serving as a transport, that she did not carry a cargo prohibited by the statutes of the United States, and that, in fact, she was a naval vessel of Great Britain, she should not receive clearance as a merchantman, and it performed that duty and enforced its statutes with scrupulous vigilance through its regularly constituted officials.

"It is idle, therefore, to assure the Imperial German Government that it has been misinformed. If the Imperial German Government should deem itself to be in possession of convincing evidence that the officials of the Government of the United States did not perform these duties with thoroughness the Government of the United States sincerely hopes that it will submit that evidence for consideration.

"Whatever may be the contentions in fact of belligerent nationality or is mere workmen are coming.

of the Imperial German Government regarding the carriage of contraband of war on board the *Lusitania* or regarding the explosion of that material by the torpedo, it need only be said that, in the view of this Government, these contentions are irrelevant to the question of the legality of the methods used by the German naval authorities in sinking the vessel.

PRINCIPLES OF HUMANITY FIRST.

"But the sinking of passenger ships involves principles of humanity which throw into the background any special circumstances of detail that may be thought to affect the cases, principles which lift it, as the Imperial German Government will no doubt be quick to recognize and acknowledge out of the class of ordinary subjects of diplomatic discussion or of international controversy. Whatever be the other facts regarding the *Lusitania*, the principal fact is that a great steamer, primarily and chiefly a conveyance for passengers and carrying more than a thousand souls who had no part or lot in the conduct of the war, was torpedoed and sunk without so much as a challenge or a warning, and that men, women and children were sent to their death in circumstances unparalleled in modern warfare.

"The fact that more than 100 American citizens were among those who perished made it the duty of the Government of the United States to speak of these things, and once more, with solemn emphasis, to call the attention of the Imperial German Government to the grave responsibility which the Government of the United States conveys that it has incurred in this tragic occurrence, and to the indisputable principle upon which that responsibility rests.

"The Government of the United States is contending for something much greater than mere rights of property or privileges of commerce. It is contending for nothing less high and sacred than the rights of humanity, which every Government honors in its respecting, and which no Government is justified in resigning on behalf of those under its care and authority.

SUBMARINE NOT JUSTIFIED.

Only her actual resistance to capture or refusal to stop when ordered to do so for the purpose of visit could have afforded the commander of the submarine any justification for so much as putting the lives of those on board the ship in jeopardy. This principle the Government of the United States understands the explicit instructions issued on August 8, 1914, by the Imperial German Admiralty to its commanders at sea to have recognized and embodied as do the naval codes of all other nations, and upon it every traveler and seaman had a right to depend. It is upon this principle that the Government of the United States must stand.

"The Government of the United States is happy to observe that Your Excellency's note closes with the intimation that the Imperial German Government is willing, now as before, to accept the good offices of the United States in an attempt to come to an understanding with the Government of Great Britain by which the character and conditions of the war upon the sea may be changed. The Government of the United States would consider it a privilege thus to serve its friends and the world.

"It stands ready at any time to convey to either Government any intimation or suggestion the other may be willing to have it convey and cordially invites the Imperial German Government to make use of its services in this way at its convenience. The whole world is concerned in anything that may bring about even a partial accommodation of interests or in any way mitigate the terrors of the present distressing conflict.

EXPECTS JUSTICE FROM GERMANY.

"In the meantime, whatever arrangement may happily be made between the parties to the war, and whatever may in the opinion of the Imperial German Government have been the provocation or the circumstantial justification for the past acts of its commanders at sea, the Government of the United States confidently looks to see the justice and humanity of the Government of Germany vindicated in all cases where Americans have been wronged or their rights as neutrals invaded.

"The Government of the United States, therefore, very earnestly and very solemnly renewes the representations of its note transmitted to the Imperial German Government on the 15th of May, and relies in these representations upon the principles of humanity, the universally recognized understandings of international law and the ancient friendship of the German nation.

"The Government of the United States cannot admit that the proclamation of a war zone from which neutral ships have been warned to keep away may be made to operate as in any degree an abbreviation of the rights either of American shipmasters or of American citizens bound on lawful errands as passengers on merchant ships of belligerent nationality. It does not understand the Imperial German Government to question those rights.

"It understands it, also, to accept as established beyond question the principle that the lives of non-combatants cannot lawfully or rightfully be put in jeopardy by the capture or destruction of an unresisting merchantman, and to recognize the obligation to take sufficient precaution to ascertain whether a suspected merchantman is in fact of belligerent nationality or is mere workmen are coming.

In fact carrying contraband of war under a neutral flag.

"The Government of the United States therefore deems it reasonable to expect that the Imperial German Government will adopt the measures necessary to put these principles into practice in respect of the safeguarding of American lives and American ships, and asks for assurances that this will be done.

ROBERT LANSING.
Secretary of State ad interim."

Picnic Drinking Water.

The picnic season has begun. Every alluring spot for miles around in the vicinity of the towns and cities will be the Mecca for pleasure seekers from now until the frost comes.

Almost everybody attends a picnic sometime during the season. Now that the automobile has made even the remote districts readily accessible for city dwellers, the number of urban residents who seek an occasional day's relaxation in the country, has tremendously increased.

Nobody thinks of going on a picnic without taking a generous supply of food but few people are far sighted enough to carry their drinking water. Some spring, brook, or farmer's well they feel will be sure to supply this essential. As a result of this indiscriminate dependence upon unfamiliar sources of water supply, there are hundreds of pleasure seekers who contract typhoid fever every season.

That period of the year when typhoid fever is always most prevalent is that at the end and immediately following the vacation season. While this is not alone the result of picnics they unquestionably play an important part in this annual toll of illness and death.

It is not a difficult matter if one is taking an auto trip to carry a supply of drinking water from a source that is known to be uncontaminated. Moderate priced vacuum bottles or other forms of containers can be secured which will keep the water cool.

If local water supply with which one is unfamiliar must be used boiling the water for twenty minutes will make it safe. Unfortunately clear water is by no means always pure water. Many a sparkling, crystal clear, roadside spring is open to pollution and no matter how attractive the little brooklet which bubbles along under the overhanging trees may appear, one must needs follow it to its source to be certain that it is free from contamination. So for safety's sake carry your drinking water in the picnic basket—Little Talks on Health and Hygiene by Samuel G. Dixon, M. D., LL. D., Commissioner of Health.

Paper Balloons Prohibited by Law.

Advocates of a safe-and-sane Fourth have always urged that the proper way to observe the well known anniversary of the nation's birth is to take five or six or a dozen paper balloons into the backyard and have a few ascensions, but after January 1 next the paper balloon will be taboo in Pennsylvania.

An act of assembly approved by Gov. Brumbaugh May 6 and going No. 155 of the signed laws of the last session of the legislature positively forbids any person to have paper balloons in his or her possession for any purpose whatever after the date mentioned. Violations of this law means fine of not exceeding \$200 and imprisonment for 60 days.

For a long time there has been complaint that the balloons sent up by thousands each Fourth of July are responsible for many disastrous fires. Cotton soaked with alcohol or other inflammable liquid is the means of inflation and when the floaters alight with the alcohol still burning there is a fire if anything burnable comes in contact with the blaze.

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Don't bear unnecessary burdens. Burdens of a bad back are heavy. Get rid of them.

Doan's Kidney Pills are for bad kidneys.

For lame, weak and aching backs. Local endorsement proves their worth.

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Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Culp had. Foster-Milburn Co., Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Trolley to McConnellsburg.

Work has been started in real earnest in the building of the Fort Loudon and McConnellsburg Electric Railway Co. and the trolley line seems to be almost an actual fact now. The line does not take the turnpike from Fort Loudon to Fulton county's capital town but takes off to the side, rather between the Loudon and the Mercersburg turnpikes, a lower grade than either pike, we are told.

A steam plow outfit arrived on

Tuesday at Fort Loudon ready to rip up the earth for the roadbed. Twenty carts and as many horses had already landed at the same place and 25 foreigners are in camp there, while

Feats of Archery.

In the days when the buffalo was found in vast herds on the western plains there were Indians who while riding at a gallop could send an arrow through a buffalo's body. Remarkable as this archery was, it did not equal that reached by the archers of ancient times.

It is of record that the MacRaes of Garlock, Scotland, were such skilled archers that they could hit a man at the distance of 500 yards. In 1794 the Turkish ambassador at London shot an arrow in a field near that capital 415 yards against the wind. The secretary of the ambassador, on hearing the expressions of surprise from the English gentlemen present, said the sultan had shot 500 yards. This was the greatest performance of modern days, but a pillar standing on a plain near Constantinople recorded shots ranging up to 800 yards. Sir Robert Atkinson, British ambassador to the sublime port, records that in 1798 he was present when the sultan shot an arrow 972 yards.

Cult of the Cow.

In "Sra," a medley of the east, Sir George Birdwood has a note on the annual ritual, instinctive in the race of Brahmanical Hindus, observed in regard to cattle, especially cows:

"You must not step over a rope to which a calf is tied and must always approach and pass a cow on your right hand, and keep your right arm covered the whole time you are in the cow shuppen. You must never ride a cow nor interrupt her while suckling her calf nor in any way annoy her. Shortly after the railway between Poona and Bombay was opened, a cow having to be sent by a Hindu in the former city to another in the latter, its entrainment for the journey was telegraphed by the sender to the receiver in the equivalent of these terms: 'Her holiness just hooked by the — a.m. train to Eycla (a suburb of Bombay). Please be at the station at — p. m. to receive her holiness.'

Anxious to Please.

The colored population in a little Alabama town was having a race meet at the local fair grounds. An aged negro whose shoes were slashed to give

his gnarly toe joints a seat in a seat on the grand stand. Immediately in front of him stood a large, excited damsel who had a whole dollar wagered on the favorite in the free for all trot.

As the horses turned into the home stretch the woman jumped up in the air, coming down squarely with all her weight on the infirm extremities of the old man. A groan escaped him, and she turned and begged his pardon.

"Uncle Zach, I'm awfully sorry!" she said.

"Dat's all right, honey," answered the old man gallantly. "I only hopes mah feet ain't too corrugated fo' yoah pleasure."—Saturday Evening Post.

Regeneration.

Starfish will grow new arms, lobsters new claws and lizards new tails. A new lizard will not indeed spring from a new tail or a new lobster from a discarded claw, but a new starfish will grow from a detached arm. In the vegetable kingdom, as a writer in Knowledge remarks, this phenomenon is still more common and has been put by man to practical use. Although identical in principle, the growing of a plant from a cutting may not seem so astonishing as the growing of a new starfish, but growing not one but many plants from a leaf seems almost extraordinary. Among the many plants that can thus be propagated is the begonia, and every housewife knows a geranium plant can be grown from a leaf stalk.

Treatment of a Dog.

A dog is a pet, a friend and a helper. The confidence of a dog, once lost, is hard to regain.

In teaching tricks always reward the dog with some titbit when he manages the trick properly.

A dog can be so trained that he will watch a cat eat without attempting to touch the food himself.

When you go into a yard and a dog grows as he comes to meet you speak kindly, act as though you were not afraid of him and he will regard you rather as a friend than as an enemy.—Detroit Free Press.

Information Sought.

The bookkeeper approached his employer diffidently.

"Seven years ago, sir," he began.

"you engaged me on a week's trial."

"Well, what of it?"

"May I presume now that my position is permanent?"—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Resemblance.

"Tippler reminds me of a moving picture."

"How?"

"Coming home from the club in seven reels."—New York Sun.

Fool Question.

Green—So an express train killed your foreman? Did it run over him?

Grump—No. It hit him on the elbow, and he died of hydrocephalus.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

Perfection.

"How are the springs on this car?"

"Simply wonderful! You don't notice a child, and even when you run over a grown man, it's no discomfort at all!"—Lake.

Censors.

Censors were originally Roman magistrates, vested with the power of controlling the manners, morals and doings of the people.

Patching Battleships.

After a battle Jack tar's web set several methods of stopping the incoming water when a battleship has been hit below the water line. For instance, if a small hole has been made in the vessel's side an apparatus like an umbrella is used. This is thrust through the hole point first and then drawn back so that it will open like an umbrella, leaving the canvas outside.

Of course the pressure of the water effectually forces the canvas against the ship's side, thus stopping the leak.

But to make it more secure the handle of the umbrella, which is formed like a screw, is fastened by a nut inside. In the case of a bigger leak—when the ship has been stove in below the water line—a large mat made of canvas and oakum is used. This has to be fixed into position by means of ropes. But the fixing is not a very easy matter, as one rope has to be got right under the keel to the other side of the ship in order to drag the mat down to the hole. Two or three other ropes are also required at different angles to guide the mat to its right position.—Pearson's.

HONOR ROLL

Names of Boys and Girls Who Were Perfect in Attendance in the Public Schools of Adams County During the Past Year

Abbottstown—35

High, Chas. J. Heming, teacher—Fred Baker, Emma E. Carns, Mary E. Elder, Irene Sowers, Ruth Kinne-maer, Cora M. Freed, C. Laurin March, Morell W. Miller.

Grammar, Samuel A. Naugle, teacher—Elda Chronister, Florence Stevens, Edith Grim, Charles Stambaugh, M. Mae Jacobs, George Nagle, Russell Wolf, George H. Haines, Blanche Freed, Myrtle Hoke, Horace Hafer, Primary, Nellie K. Eisenhart, teacher—Mildred Grove, Joseph Grim, Harry Wolf, Nettie Grim, Katie Moul, Milo Wolf, Helen Johns, Emma Stambaugh, Helen Rutter, Lavere Grim, Ruth Wolf, Amy Grim, Mary Markle, Ethna Spangler, Grove Haines, Herschel Alwine.

Arendtsville—18

High, Daniel W. Lehman, teacher—Olive Orner, Roy A. Lady.

Grammar, E. Cecil Stover, teacher—Anna Stover, Margaret Raffensperger, Margaret Thomas, Phinamon Bittinger, Ralph Rice.

Primary, Hiram C. Lady, teacher—Evelyn M. Orner, Arnold E. Orner, S. Alma Wert, John H. Rice, Mildred I. Criswell, Bruce N. Wolf, Harris G. Schlosser, Dorothy M. Raffensperger, Nettie A. M. Orner, John W. Snyder, Harold J. Taylor.

Berwick—7

Green Springs, Grammar, Ervin C. Miller, teacher—Mary Bittinger, Ralph Miller, Lester Crabs.

Beaver Creek, J. Monroe Danner, teacher—Alvin Lillich, Charles Arter, Pauline Grim.

Walnut Grove, G. Howard Danner, teacher—George Meckley.

Biglerville—19

High, Ira C. Mummert, teacher—Margaret Spangler, Esta Slaybaugh, Correne Dearick.

Grammar—R. Alice Longsdorf, teacher—Ora Stonesifer, Blanche Slaybaugh, Howard Bowers, Carl Slaybaugh, Russell Cook.

Intermediate, Milford E. Haines, teacher—Loretta Raffensperger, Thelma Slaybaugh, Mary Bream, J. Russell Haines, Myles Kleinfelter, Claude Miller, Raymond Trimmer.

Primary, Pearle A. Rice, teacher—Kathryn Fidler, Harold Slaybaugh, James Sandoe, Laura Stonesifer.

Butler—33

Sunny Side, Edward L. Dentler, teacher—Edward Shank, Corinne Howe, John Shank, Carrie Peters, William Shank, Elmer Raffensperger.

Pine Grove, Robert E. Fisher, teacher—Noel Taylor, Joe Hess, Margaret Taylor, Ada Hess.

Good Hope, H. K. Raffensperger, teacher—Cletus Livesberger, John Lady, Ida Boyer, Annabell Deardorff, Mae Lady.

Bridge, Eva M. Boyer, teacher—Earl Kime, Charles Huff, Margaret Wolf.

Table Rock, Beulah E. Wentz, teacher—Margaret Eckert, Edna Beheny, Ellsworth Stites, Susan Kime, Grace Wagner, Hazel Snyder, Centre Mills, Maude E. Taylor, teacher—Carrie Slaybaugh, Herbert Taylor, Sterling Walter, Hazel Tay-

lor.

Bender's, Lloyd W. Garretson, teacher—Minnie Showers, Dora Showers, Ray Guise, Florence Moose, Clair Guise, Calvin Eckert.

Grape Vine, Grace L. Spahr, teacher—Clyde Allison, Alice Funt.

Clear Springs, Bess K. Raffensperger, teacher—Edward Rebert, Serech Haldeman.

Conewago—37

Midway, Ruth E. Follmar, teacher—Elizabeth Bowman, Marguerite Becker, Kathern Miller, Ira Markle, Cyril Funk, Lester Becker, Gertrude Bollinger, Robert Dubbs.

Sand Hill, Grammar, J. Francis Yake, teacher—Arthur Frock, E. Grant Herr, Ray Becker, Paul Smith, Gladys Weisenale, Lottie Keagy.

Sand Hill, Primary, Helen McDowell, teacher—Elizabeth Lauerman, Robert Reiley, Markwood Frock, Melvin Bortner, Clyde Frock, Beulah Miller, Robert Becker.

Mt. Pleasant, Grammar, John A. Halter, teacher—Coradine Newman, Carleton Shaffer, Myrna Bair, Monroe Smith.

Mt. Pleasant, Primary, Hilda H. Bender, teacher—Emma Carbaugh, Esther Eckert, William Eckert, Horace Comfort.

Locus Grove, Grammar, Mervin L. Myers, teacher—Emma Weaver, Raymond Wilt, Helen Wilt, Gertrude Fufnagle.

Locus Grove, Primary, Sarah C. Farmer, teacher—Ada Panekaker, Catharine Eyster, Helen Krichten, Benjamin Hufnagel.

Conewago Independent—5

Independent, Floyd E. Wolf, teacher—Ralph King, Lottie King, Bebbie Hildebrand, Lawrence Moul, Norman Hildebrand.

Cumberland—32

Willow Grove, Mary J. Rudisill, teacher—Wilber Gougher, Lucy Knight, Russel Durborough, Emma Gougher, Mary Knight, Ned Gougher, Marguerite Jacobs.

Boyd's, Edna E. Eicholtz, teacher—George Riley, Dorsey Foulk, Luella Riley, Ethel Knox, Raymond Foulk, Harry Knox.

Round Top, Mary A. Harman, teacher—Floranna Fox, John Fox, William Rider, Edmond Rosensteel, Beulah A. Rider, Norman Robinson, McCurdy's, Katharine E. Feeser, teacher—Evelyn Beckler, Ruth Reinicker, Stewart Witherow, Margaret Weikert, Gladys Weikert, Elinor Witherow, Donald Weikert.

Granite, Myrtle L. Sheely, teacher—Paul Eckenrode, Ethel Mumper.

Centennial Hall, Irene U. Fleck, teacher—Walter Newcomer.

Belmont, Laura E. Dougherty, teacher—Luther Stevens, Edna Stevens, William Stevens.

East Berlin—35

High, J. Willard Bucher, teacher—Monroe Anthony, Jacob Spangler, George March, Guy Anthony, Moxton Dorone, Irene Myers, Lydia Resser, Nellie Baker.

Grammar, Bess G. Grogg, teacher—Helen Bream, Edna March, Blanche Smith, Nellie Altland, Elizabeth Siegrist, Arthur Miller, Russel Shetter, Harry Tschop, Earl Warner.

Secondary, Anna C. March, teacher—Grace Bowser, Marie Day, Marie Chronister, Dorothy March, Esther Reynolds, Ruth Baughman, Grace Siegrist, Gladys Barnes.

Primary, Pauline A. Tschop, teacher—Lester Altland, George Glatfelter, Helen Kopp, Emory Myers, Chas. Simpson, Paul Spangler, Melvin Altland, Katherine Bear, John Myers, Harry Thoman.

Fairfield—17

High, Charles A. Landis, teacher—William Donaldson, Luella Rock.

Intermediate—Elizabeth C. Herring, teacher—Margaret Allison, Ethel Grace Allison, Emma Bupp, Clara Kittinger, Charles Landis, Alva Brown, Robert McCleaf.

Primary, Martha Witherow, teacher—Emma Neely, Anna Reindollar, Helen McCleaf, Elizabeth Neely, Mabel Sanders, Gertrude Bupp, Alvin Bupp, Joel D. Musselman, Samuel Musselman, Charles McGlaughlin, Floyd Brown, Raymond Moritz, Earl Spyder, Alvin Bishop.

Franklin—87

Scott's, Nannie V. Keller, teacher—Belva Deardorff, Mary Rife, Clifford Nary.

Flohr's, Alma A. Henry, teacher—Harvey Keeler, Daniel Musselman, Martha Andrew, Edna Kroushour, Leonard Musselman, Jay Johnson.

Poplar Springs, Alora E. Roth, teacher—Ruth Herring, Raymond Pepple, Irene Lauver, Evelyn Chapman.

Paradise, Edna E. Hartman, teacher—Marjorie Moose, Donald Kane, Esther Kane, Leo Kane, Marie Carey, Mt. Vernon, Lillian B. Minter, teacher—Edward Settle, Helen Rebert, Bessie Herring, George Basehoar, Martha Rebert, Eva Mundorf.

Strasbaugh's, Eugene Strasbaugh, teacher—Laura McFadden, John Dillon, John Clapsaddle, Edgar Dillon, Bernard Kimple, Virgie Clapsaddle.

Cashtown, M. Stella Linn, teacher—Mary Andrew, Hazel Mickley, Hazel Carbaugh, Dale Bream, Helen Cook, Alberta Gallagher, Mildred Deardorff, Bruce Gallagher, Hilda Hartman, Mary Hartman, Cora Martz, Kathryn Orner, Kathrin Biesecker, Martha Hartman, Leroy Hartman.

Van Dyke's, Ruth E. Deardorff, teacher—Harvey Cullison, John Cluck, Margaret Cullison, Arthur Cluck, Margaret Bucher, Margaret Cluck, Marguerite Arnold.

Sheely's, Edward W. Hartman, teacher—Harry Wilkinson, Jacob Bowmaster, Marion Chronister, Roy Lady.

Hall's, S. Leslie Orner, teacher—Martha Hall, Esther Beamer, Paul Beamer, Rose Brady.

Brady's, Ruth H. Cole, teacher—Casper Knouse, Earl Baker, Verna Baker.

Mummasburg, J. Calvin Lady, teacher—Donald Lauver, Brunell Deardorff, Mary Strasbaugh, Kathryn Lauver, Lola Mackley, Paul Kint, Claire Deardorff, Miles Deardorff, Raymond Hare, Ruth Lauver.

Bingaman's, C. B. Carbaugh, teacher—Bessie Sharrah, Maud Sharrah, Blanche Lochbaum, Harvey O. Sharrah, Clarence Lochbaum, Dale Lochbaum.

Rocky Grove, Anna S. Hartman, teacher—Helen A. Starner, Bessie S. Starner, Margaret Starner, Ruth E. Keeler, Nellie M. Keller, Paul Ketterman, Harry Ketterman.

Freedom—15

McCleaney's, Alice R. Spangler, teacher—Lida Rohrbaugh, Howard Small, Mary Wolf, Esther Rohrbaugh, Catherine Rohrbaugh, Dorothy Fair, Helen Wolf.

McIlhenny's, Maud M. Pensyl, teacher—Ruth Herring, Erly Herring, Goldie Herring, Elsie Stultz, Murray Stultz.

Moritz's, Harper J. Wentz, teacher—Mary Herr, Margaret Herr, Harry Rothaupt.

Germany—20

Oak Grove, Clayton F. Palmer, teacher—Gladys Palmer, Marie Palmer, Esther Harner.

Mt. Vernon, Lloyd L. Stavely, teacher—Edith Shilt, Edwin Ulrich, Mt. Pleasant, Irvin S. Brungard, teacher—Bernice Dodre, Curvin Dehoff, Gladys Little, Gladys Dehoff, Donald Myers, Leila Kump, Leroy Bish, Eva Part, Ethel Kump, Nevin Kump, Anna Dodre, Mary Myers, Preston Dehoff.

Ash Grove, John M. Wisler, teacher—Pauline Champion, Rose Eckendorf.

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High School

Carroll McDonnell, Ralph Oyler, Lloyd Sharett, Robert Sheads, Wilbur Geiselman, Percy Miller, Edwin Shoop, Lloyd Gilbert, Henry McDonald, Robert Oyler, Harold Mumper, Carlton Mumper, Margaret Minter, Nevada Settle, Kathryn Deardorff, Mary Hollinger, Virginia Oyler, Ira Sheads, Edna Zinkand, Mary Eden, Bonnylin Gilbert, Wilda Holtzworth, Constance Weaver, Nellie Mehring, Sadie Asper, Goldie Moose, Nellie Strayer.

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Meade School

Elizabeth Evans, Mabel Galbraith, Mildred Gilbert, Esther Hartman, Della Shultz, Lillian Weaver, Maybell Weaver, Ross Sheely, Carroll Hahn, Lula Bender, Mildred Dearborn, MayBelle Lott, Katie Shultz, Myrtle Stauffer, Robert Geiselman, Fred Miller, Murray Miller, Harold Newman, Florence Reynolds, Helen Fox, Ida Hartley, Bernetta Lott, Mary Lott, Indus Oyler, Helen Tenant, Minnie Zinkand, Eunice Baker, Anna Eden, Mildred McCleaf, Ellwood Spangler, Virginia Ramer, Elizabeth Swisher, Beulah Shank, Verna Kitzmiller.

High Street School

Brady Armor, Willard Flemming, Lila Myers, Edith Sheads, Lawrence Aughinbaugh, Elmer Haner, David Oyler, Ruth Sachs, Albert Davis, Ruth Heagey, Lillias Rupp, Margaret Stauffer, Mary Stauffer, Edwin Aughinbaugh, Claude Roberts, Richard Sheads, Glenn Stauffer, Lelia Davis, John Baker, Mary Slaybaugh, Clair Eden, Helen Scott, Anna Aughinbaugh.

Colored School

Helen Timbers, Emory Thomas, Glenroy Snowden.

Hamilton—26

Green Ridge, Esther M. Stock, teacher—Lloyd Swope.

Seven Hundred, Esther M. Myers, teacher—Helen J. J. Myers.

Hartman's, Luther A. Yohe, teacher—Pauline Slothour, Clara Ziegler, John Baker, Mary Chronister, Frances Slothour.

Pine Run, Leslie E. Reinecker, teacher—Ellis Stambaugh, Dorothy Haar, Bertha Peterman, Evelyn Yohe, Neison Wolf, Bernice McKonly, Ruth Slothour, Nora Haar, Catharine Stock, Nettie Moul, Norman Wolf, Beatrice Wolf, Pauline McKonly, Mertie Peterman, Mary Mumment, William Cashman, Paul Stock, Evelyn Stock, Ellen Sheely.

Hamiltonban—37

Union, Maude Shue, teacher—Hazel Miller.

Furnace, M. Percy Walker, teacher—Ethel Bucher, John Carbaugh.

Orrtanna, Eliza A. Thomas, teacher—Ruth Biesecker, Wilbert Reagel, Lillie Funt, Dora Wolford, Opal Spence, Harry Biesecker, Guy Sloat, John Shultz, Helen Cease, Pauline Reagel, Pauline Krady, Roy Biesecker, Ivan Reagel, Althea Herring, Clestent Herring.

West Fairfield, J. Harry Pecher, teacher—Allen Reed, Grace Spangler, Dorothy McGlaughlin.

Cold Springs, Alice G. Hummelbaugh, teacher—Oscar Kline.

Station, Alma Kittinger, teacher—Mildred Allison, Dola Richardson, Clara Allison, Earl Moritz, Charles Weaver, Louella Bennett, Nellie Heagy.

Mt. Pleasant, Louetta Sharett, teacher—Eva Baker, Cora Bigham, Carl Moritz, Earl Moritz.

Tract, Daisy D. Currans, teacher—John Nickley.

Weeping Willow, Charles S. Frey, teacher—Mary Mickley.

Pine Hill, Goldie S. Orner, teacher—Hester Dick, Helen Dick.

Highland—18

Quarry, Clara J. Spangler, teacher—Howard Carbaugh, Charles Carbaugh, Margaret Miller, Walter Stultz.

Glenwood, Carrie M. Lady, teacher—Lillian Weikert, Helen Singley, Irene Bream, Wilmore Bream, Robert Bream, Fred Currans, Mearl Weikert.

Church, Charity K. Knouse, teacher—Mary Kane, Harry Kane, Marie Spence, Donald Carbaugh, Lena Hill, Reba Gordon, Merle Spence.

Huntington—19

Rock Chapel, Mary V. Heller, teacher—Joel Goehnour, Hazel Linah, Romayne Bosserman, Rachael Goehnour, Grace Bosserman, Ruth Linah, Sadler's, Laura E. Miller, teacher—Clair Chronister, Isabella Fanus, Esther Beiman.

Mount Joy—21

Pleasant Grove, Amos J. Snyder, teacher—Paul Snyder, Bradley Newmann, Margaret Schwartz.

Fairview, Lloyd C. Palmer, teacher—Parr Breighner, Roy Hartlaub, Vernon Straley, Thomas Hartlaub, John Sheely, Paul Hartlaub, Pauline Patterson.

Oak Grove, Barbara A. Clapsaddle, teacher—Luther Epley.

White Run, Lester G. Sachs, teacher—Thurman Newman, Elmer Strickouser, James Strickouser.

Glenwood, Carrie M. Lady, teacher—Lillian Weikert, Helen Singley, Irene Bream, Wilmore Bream, Robert Bream, Fred Currans, Mearl Weikert.

Mount Pleasant—40

Kilpatrick's, George J. Epley, teacher—Verna Klinefelter.

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SATURDAY, JUNE 19, 1915.

POLITICAL CALENDAR FOR 1915.

June 25—First day on which nomination petitions for candidates can be circulated to be filed with the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

July 2—First day on which nomination petitions for candidates can be circulated to be filed with the County Commissioners.

August 24—Last day to file nomination petitions with the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

August 31—Last day to file nomination petitions with County Commissioners.

September 31 and September 1—Extra assessment days. Assessors sit at polling places from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M. and from 6 P. M. to 9 P. M.

September 21—Primary election.

October 2—Last day before November election for payment of poll tax.

October 6—Last day for candidates to file expense accounts.

November 2—Election day.

December 2—Last day for candidates and treasurers to file expense accounts.

Track Given Lower Record.

One of the features of the racing matinee of the Great Conewago Trotting Association on last Saturday was the lowering of the track record from 2.00 to 1.56 1-2 by Lawrence Brothers' Grover C. of Irishtown, in Class C.

The Hunterstown track is 100 feet less than a mile and the races were of that length. The speed shown was very good and only one of the classes was won in straight heats.

The officials for the race were Charles Gries, York Springs starter; John Shultz, Gettysburg timer; W. D. Taughinbaugh, judge. The association gave away \$30 in premiums in the various events.

The following was the result of the races:

Class A.
Curvin, John Greenewalt .. 4 3 2 1 1
Jennie, C. Lerie 2 1 2 2 3
R. E. Girl, R. E. Zinn 3 2 3 3 2
Teddy, Wm. Gitt 1 4 4 4 4
Time, 2.07, 2.04, 2.04, 2.01 1-2, 2.03 1-2

Class B.
Roxie, Ed. Snyder 3 1 1 1
Bertha H. W. H. Deardorff 2 3 2 2
Bertha H. Anthony Deardorff 1 2 4 3
Dir Hale, Fred McCammon 5 4 3 4
Julia, Curtis Peters 4 5 3 3
Lottie, John Taylor 5 1 1 1
Time 2.05, 2.05, 2.04 1-4, 2.08.

Class C.
Grover C. Lawrence Bros. 1 2 1 1
Sugar Burns, Calvin Cook 2 1 2 2
Maud S. H. C. Appleman 3 1 1 1
Madison Square, Dr. Seaks 4 1 1 1
Time 2.05, 2.04, 1.56 1-2, 1.59.

Class D.
Dearie, Robert Robert 1 1 1 1
Flying Jim, Merv. Reinecker 3 2 2 3
Daisy, Carl Griffin 4 5 3 3
Grace, B. Gallagher 5 3 3 3
Gettysburg, John Weaver 7 6 6 6
Grover H. John Cook 2 2 2 4 4
Time, 2.18, 2.22, 2.20, 1-2.

Running Race

1st—Rice, McKnightstown.

2d—Guise, Hunterstown.

3d—Todds, Gettysburg.

Foot Race.

Won by Carl Griffin, Gettysburg.

The next matinee will be held on July 5, when a good group of horses will be entered.

Veterans' Reunion.

The Ninth Pennsylvania Cavalry Society held their 46th annual reunion in Gettysburg last week with 47 members in attendance. They met at City Hotel, visited the battlefield and report having a good time while here. They will meet next year at Stewartstown.

At the business session on Thursday the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, John T. English, Prospect, Ky.; Vice Presidents, Adam Fraley, Wilkes-Barre; Jacob Kissinger, Gratz; A. M. Parker, Mapleton Depot; Secretary, A. F. Schenck, Lancaster; Treasurer, H. W. Heffner; Surgeon, Dr. Wm. Rice, Rome; Chaplain, I. D. Landis, Stewartstown; Executive Chairman, J. Harvey Anderson, Stewartstown; S. C. Liggit, Stewartstown; Cull M. Hays, Newberrytown; H. W. Heffner, York; Geo. W. Thomas, Hanover.

With Thanks of the Editor.

The editor has been most kindly remembered with a fine box of Adams county apples from O. C. Rice of Bigerville, a basket of the early vegetables from Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zincand, east of town, a big box of large Ox-heart cherries from Squire S. W. Hammers, and several boxes of mammoth strawberries from Mr. and Mrs. John Starner, on York Pike. Adams county certainly excels in the excellence of her products and the editor returns his sincere thanks to the givers.

Plead Guilty and Sentenced.

Lizzie Peters of New Oxford, was sent to jail for six months and fined \$25 by the York County Court on last Monday on a plea of guilty to entering the office of Dr. C. H. Venus in York on May 5 last, and stealing a lot of morphine tablets, a gold necklace and other jewelry. The value of the articles stolen was \$21. The defendant admitted that she was a user of morphine. The theft occurred while the occupants of the Venus home were absent.

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Western Maryland Railroad Adopts New Name.

Through the addition of "Mason and Dixon Line" to its title, the Western Maryland Railway Company will henceforth be linked with an important historical event which, more than 150 years ago, resulted in permanently fixing the boundary between Maryland and Pennsylvania, and ending the dispute relative to the line.

The decision to perpetuate the name of the two eminent surveyors and the great work which they accomplished in Colonial days was announced yesterday by General Passenger Agent Charles F. Stewart, although the matter has been under consideration by him for several weeks. In the future the title of the road will be "the Western Maryland Railway Company—the Mason and Dixon Line," and will so appear on the printed matter of the system.

The railroad had two reasons for adopting the new name. In the first place, it operates, for the most part, in Maryland and Pennsylvania, the two States through which the line extends, and, in the second place, the road crosses and recrosses the line surveyed at several points in both States.

"No other railroad has adopted this name," said General Passenger Agent Stewart yesterday, "and we thought that inasmuch as we are so closely linked with the two States in which the survey was mostly made we could rightly lay claim to the name of the Mason and Dixon Line. We had in mind the commemoration of an engineering feat accomplished during the closing years of our history as colonies and just before the United States of America came into existence. The Western Maryland crosses the boundary line near Blue Ridge Summit, again near Cumberland, at Lineboro, at Highfield, and in the neighborhood of Pen-Mar.

"Nearly 100 years before the Western Maryland was ever thought of as railroad the two surveyors, Mason and Dixon, known all over England on account of their engineering ability, came to this country for the purpose of running an east and west line through the wilds of the eastern portion of the country. They were brought here by Lord Baltimore and Thomas and Richard Penn, of London. They began their labors in 1763, and in 1765 had pushed their way to the Susquehanna River, when they received instructions to go forward through the forests of Maryland and Pennsylvania. In 1766 they were on the summit of the Little Allegheny Mountains.

"About this time the Indians began to give the surveyors trouble. They questioned the right of the two men to intrude in the wilderness inhabited by them and assumed a threatening attitude. It thus became necessary to carry on negotiations with the six Indian nations, and these negotiations being concluded the surveyors and members of their party resumed operations the following year. As the work progressed the red men again began to harass the surveyors, and so violent in their opposition to the whites did they become that 26 members of the party quit work and returned home.

"The two surveyors now having only a handful of men, continued their labors, undismayed by the difficulties which they encountered from the Indians, but they sent back to Fort Cumberland for aid.

"At last they reached point 214 miles from the Delaware River and within 36 miles of the entire distance to be run. At this juncture the surveyors were informed by representatives from the six nations of Indians that the survey must be abandoned.

"There was no alternative and Messrs. Mason and Dixon withdrew only to have their work completed in later years by other engineers."

This movement of the Western Maryland Railway has a special interest in the fact that seven brothers bearing the name of McClean helped Mason and Dixon to run their line.

ARENDSVILLE.

Owing to the frequent showers the last four or five weeks all vegetation is growing nicely and the prospect is for a fair crop of wheat and hay. We notice some wheat fields on Dr. Wm. E. Wolff's farm and the McDaniell Bros. and Mrs. D. G. Minter's farm tenanted by Rufus Diehl that come up to the standard.

David Lawyer reports new potatoes as large as goose eggs. Mrs. Aaron Freed reports having cooked new potatoes and green peas last week and Mrs. Melvin Warren new cabbage.

Our fruit growers are busy picking and shipping their early cherries to the Philadelphia market. The crop is much better than was expected 2 month ago.

The pears and quinces will not be a full crop owing to the trees being so badly fire blighted and we also notice some apple trees similarly affected.

Last Saturday A. J. Miller and his wife attended the funeral of Harry Chronister, their brother-in-law, at Hampton.

The funeral of David Leister held last Monday morning was largely attended by his relatives and many friends. In his death this community loses one of its best citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Nary of Philadelphia spent several days here in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Nary, the former's parents.

Ellis Kremer, Jr., was the recent guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Culp.

Allen J. Carbaugh, our baker, has just had his house newly painted.

The prospect is for a large crop of raspberries.

C. E. Convention.

The annual Christian Endeavor Convention of the Adams County Union was held in East Berlin last week, the first session being on Tuesday evening and adjournment on Thursday.

The officers of last year were re-elected. They are as follows: President, C. C. Culp, Gettysburg; Corre-

sponding Secretary, Ethel K. Sheely, New Oxford; Recording Secretary, Bertha A. Heiges, Bigerville; Treasurer, Alma A. Henry, Orrtanna; Junior Superintendent, Edna Bauer, New Oxford. District Presidents were chosen as follows: First District, D. M. Hoffman, Bigerville; Second, C. Laurin March, Abbottstown; Third, Miss Anna Moutfort, Gettysburg; Fourth, Roy Bream, Fairfield; Fifth, J. D. Gulden, Hunters' Run, and Sixth, Miss Rose Barker, Littlestown.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Bigerville, was selected as the place of next year's meeting.

It was decided to run an excursion to the state convention in Harrisburg next September, and it is the aim to have about 200 delegates from Adams county present.

An Advisory Board to be composed of all the pastors in the county and presidents of societies, was appointed to assist the executive committee in its work.

The annual county picnic will be held at Round Top, Gettysburg, in the latter part of July and plans in connection with this affair will be set in motion at once.

Reports of committees showed that three Young People's Societies and four Junior Societies were organized in the last year, while another society was reorganized and is doing encouraging work. Announcement was made that contests will be conducted, in which all of the societies in the county will participate. Bibles and banners will be offered as prizes in the various contests that have to do with increasing the efficiency of the work in the county.

A number of inspiring addresses were made. The attendance was the best in the history of the organization.

Farm Bureau Proposed.

A recent law authorizes the counties to maintain a farm bureau to give advice and instruction to farmers where it is desired and requested and counties are authorized to appropriate for the work a sum not exceeding \$1500. Experts are sent from State College.

On Tuesday Chester J. Tyson, P. C. Sowers, and Daniel Hoffman, representing the Adams County Fruit Growers Association, and J. L. Butt, Esq., as a farmer in behalf of others in the same occupation, appeared before the County Commissioners and urged an annual appropriation of \$500 toward the establishment of a farm bureau in Adams county and it was stated that such a bureau would receive from other farm organizations and farmers financial help so as to assure the success of such a bureau. The Commissioners took the proposition under consideration and will announce their decision later.

Visiting Knights of Columbus.

About 400 Fourth Degree Knights of Columbus, members of Arch Bishop Ryan Council of Philadelphia, were recent Gettysburg visitors arriving on Saturday and returning on Sunday evening. On Saturday evening at Xavier Hall a reception was tendered the Knights. Hon. William McSherry presiding. Address of welcome, the Rev. Fr. W. F. Boyle: music, "Habanera" from "Carmen"; Miss Mary Rainier; reply to welcome, John Loughren: "Because." Charles W. Stock: sketch, "Country Lanes and City Pavements"; Misses Zita and Grace Remer: impromptu speeches by Hon. M. J. Ryan, Lieut. John K. Target, U. S. N. N. J. McEnery, Fr. Dalton and Hon. William McSherry; music, Indian club drill, by physical culture class of St. Francis Xavier School; music.

The battlefield was visited Saturday and Sunday and a special mass was celebrated Sunday morning in St. Francis Xavier Church by Rev. Fr. Dalton of Philadelphia.

New Teacher Elected.

On Thursday evening the Gettysburg School Directors elected Miss Janet Myers of Marion, Franklin county, an assistant teacher in the Domestic Science Department. Miss Myers has been teaching in schools of Hollidaysburg for several years and is at present taking special work at the Chicago University. For the first four years the directors are required to increase the work in this department in order to secure the allotted appropriation and this most successful department will enter upon its third year with the opening of school which was fixed for Monday, August 30.

Escapes Unhurt.

Wm. Zincand of the W. M. yard crew had a narrow escape last Saturday. A coal car was shifted into the Blocher coal yard switch. The brakes failed to hold it and the car crashed into a bumping block, wrecking car and switch. Mr. Zincand jumped a distance of 12 feet and escaped unhurt when he saw the collision was unavoidable.

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Cupid's Test
of Love

By H. M. EGBERT

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respect Cupid. He asked him if his
wife was coming out to Little Falls
to live with him. Joe Rogers never
had much feeling."No, sir," answered Cupid, turning
white.

"Dead, hey?" asked Joe Rogers.

"No, sir," said Cupid, looking
straight into Rogers' eyes. Some-
how Joe Rogers found an excuse to
back away. He never questioned
Cupid after that.Joe Rogers was at work in charge
of the men who were repairing the
big dam above Little Falls. It had
been called dangerous; people said
that if ever it burst the flood would
sweep away Little Falls as the flood
had destroyed Johnstown, and nobody
would have time to do anything but
pray, and pray fast. Meanwhile the
dam was progressing toward comple-
tion. With the re-enforced concrete
structure no one thought it would
break.We used to hear gossip of the Cav-
endish household from Emma, the
black maid. That was how we
learned that Henry Norman didn't
like Cupid. In fact, it was said by
her that the first time the two men
met Mr. Norman looked as though
he had seen a ghost, while Cupid drew
himself up very stiff and looked at
Mr. Norman in a way that made her
blood run cold. However, Emma,
faithful old soul that she was, was
fond of romancing. Still, we knew
that Mr. Norman had tried to per-
suade Miss Cavendish to get rid of
Cupid. Miss Cavendish refused. She
always had a will of her own. They
nearly quarreled over it till Mr. Nor-
man saw that it was a case of yield-
ing or losing Miss Cavendish—or her
money."Come in, my friend," he said after
an effort. "What can I do for you?""I'm looking for a position in Little
Falls, sir," answered Cupid respect-
fully. "I've been working as a porter
in town, but my health gave out and
I was told to go to the country. So I
came here. It was a bit of a walk,
sir. I can show you good references,
in case you know of a job—"The pastor looked at the fellow
with a repugnance which he could
not conceal."I know my face is against me,
sir," said Cupid with a smile.And it was astonishing how the
smile changed him. Cupid smiling
looked almost decent.The pastor racked his brains. He
took a sudden liking to the man, and
he was resolved not to be prejudiced
against him on account of his looks."Miss Cavendish was wanting a
handy man to take care of her garden
and pony," he said. "I don't know
whether that is in your line, my
friend?""I was bred on a farm," answered
Cupid. "I think, sir, I could manage
the job if—if you'd see Miss Caven-
dish first and—and mention my looks,
sir."That softened the parson complete-
ly. He called up Miss Cavendish on
the telephone and broke the news as
considerately as possible. "The man
is afraid he doesn't look very pre-
possessing, Miss Cavendish," he ex-
plained."Well, send him round and I'll judge
for myself," answered Miss Cavendish.

And a few minutes later Cupid de-

parted. That night he returned, radi-

ant.

"I've got the position, sir, and I'm
ever so grateful," he said to the pas-
tor."For the last time I warn you to
leave Miss Cavendish alone."

parted. That night he returned, radi-

ant.

"The dam don't burst tomorrow
she can't," Joe Rogers had said, and
everyone repeated it. The key to the
solid wall of masonry was to be
swung into position the next day.Some had said that the laying of the
great blocks had disturbed the founda-
tions of the old dam, but Joe ridicu-
lated that. After ten at night the
following day the dam couldn't burst
unless an earthquake struck it, he
insisted. People grew a little ner-
vous as the evening wore away. BlackEmma had heard Miss Cavendish
laughingly tell Mr. Norman, who was
visiting her that evening, and she said
the man seemed scared when MissCavendish told him their house stood
right in the line the torrent would
take.Only Emma saw what happened at
the house that night, and we have to
rely on her. It seems that Norman
was within half an hour of departing—the two had been reading some
book together—when Cupid rushed
into the living room without the pre-
liminary of a knock."The dam's burst!" he yelled.
"There's just two minutes before the
flood catches us. Run for the hillside
or you'll be buried under a hundred
feet of water!"Emma screamed naturally, but she
was not so terrified as Norman. He
stared at Cupid with wild eyes for
the tenth of a second. Then, with a
 yell, he was upon his feet, out through
the glass of the window, which fell in
splinters all about him and sped-
ding with all his might for the hillside.And just as Emma and Miss Caven-
dish turned to run Cupid caught
them."It's a lie!" he cried. There was a
look of triumph upon the fellow's face.
"The dam—the dam hasn't burst and
never will!"Emma said that for a moment Miss
Cavendish stood still, watching his
face. Then suddenly she put her
hands to her own and burst into hyster-
ical tears and laughter. You see,
she had been brought to a realizationof Cupid's motive at last, and a thou-
sand little traits in Norman which she
had passed over, for love's sake, weresuddenly made clear. And Cupid had
saved her. But he never told her
what he knew about Norman. Nobodyknew that. Only it did not matter,
for Norman was never seen in Little
Falls again.

Whale Curiosities.

Little is really known about his
whaleship. This is surprising, consider-
ing he is such an interesting subject.
The blue or sulphur bottom whale is
the largest animal living today. Spec-
imens have measured eighty-seven feet
in length, which in all probability
weighed about seven tons. Oddly
enough, although the mouth will
permit twelve men to stand in it the
throat is only nine inches in diameter.These particular whales feed on mi-
nute shrimps—about three-quarters of
an inch in length—and they probably
never touch fish while they can obtain
these. From the inside of one of these
whales five barrels of shrimps were
taken. The sperm whale possesses
spermaceti in liquid form in the upper
portion of its head. From one of these
whales twenty barrels of spermaceti
were taken out of the case. This same type of whale also yields
ambergris, that valuable substance used
so extensively in the manufacture
of our best perfumes.

A Lost Sea.

"One of the most curious experiences
I ever had," says James Oliver Cur-
wood, the author, "occurred on my first
trip to James Bay, the southern portion
of Hudson Bay. We reached the bay just
at sunset. It happened that I was the first to awaken in the morning,
and when I crawled out of my teepee I gave a yell that roused the camp. The sea was gone! Not a signof that vast grassy green dip in which
it had been. My first thought, and a
natural one, was that I was out of my
head. Where had the sea gone? Had
we really camped on its shore the night
before? I strained my eyes, but could
see nothing but that dip speckled with
pools of water. I was in the company of
a Hudson Bay factor at the time,
and I turned to find him laughing.Then the explanation came. At this
point James Bay was unusually shallow,
and at low tide the sea dropped back
seven miles! During the night it had
actually left us seven miles inland."

Japan First With Japanese.

Every Japanese is a Japanese first,
whatever else he may be second. In
this unified patriotism they are incom-
parable. It extends even to the minor
affairs of life. There is no Japanese
of high or low degree who will admit
any fault of his country to a foreigner,
however strict his censure may be
when talking to his friends. If there
are faults the Japanese conceal them.They never volunteer any information
as to drawbacks, and they always have
an excuse for failures. No condition
can arise in Japan whereby a foreigner
can learn from a Japanese of anything
to the detriment of the country. The
statesmen will not tell you anything.
The coolies will not tell you anything.
They are units of concealment. They
put the good face on everything. It is
Japan first with them. Japan first al-
ways, and always a super-Japan.—Samuel
G. Blythe in Saturday Evening Post.

Chinese Names of Places.

Chinese names of places often define
their character. Thus the terminal
"yang" means fortress, Pingyang the
"fortress of peace." "Cheng" means a
"walled city." "Shan" is a mountain.
"hai" the sea, "Kuan" a camp; thus
Shankaiwan is the "mountain sea
camp." A "ling" is a mountain pass;
Motienling, near Mukden, is the
"heaven scraping pass."The suffixes "ao" and "to" indicate
islands; "po" or "pho," a harbor;
"wan," a bay; "kiang," and "ho," a
river; "kow," a port; "fu," a first class
city; "ju," a provincial capital; "Pei"
is north; "nan" is south; "king" is cap-
ital. These suffixes help to explain
such familiar names in these days as
Szechuan, Chembu, Taliwan,
Yangtsekiang, Hoangho, Yinkow, Che-
fu, Anju, Peking and Nanking.

Macaulay and His Razors.

Macaulay was a self shaver—though
not with a safety—and the woeful
results are recorded in his biography.
When he sailed for India and his cham-
bers were cleared there were found
between fifty and sixty razors, hacked
into strips and splinters, and innumerable
razors in every stage of disrepair.At one time he hurt his hand and had
to go to the barber. After the opera-
tion he was asked the charge. "Oh, what
ever you usually give the person who
shares you," was the answer. "In that
case," said Macaulay, "I should give
you a great gash on either cheek."

London Mirror.

The Alpaca.

In spite of attempts to introduce the
alpaca into countries away from its
native habitat failure has attended
them. It is rarely found below an alti-
tude of 5,000 feet. Its wool is of an
exceedingly fine luster and quality and
occasionally attains a length of six
inches.

Good Morning.

It is customary in most countries to
say "Good morning" as a greeting even
when it isn't true. But the English-
man says "Beastly morning," and it
generally is.—New York Independent

Shaping the Head.

In New Caledonia heads of infants
are squeezed into different shapes—the
faces of boys being lengthened to look
like warriors and the girls' faces made
oval by pressing up the chin.

Baby Talk.

The first infant speech is the use of
the consonants "m" and "n," "g" or
"f" and the first words "mam" and
"go."Unless what we do is useful our glo-
ry is vain.—Phaedrus.

Extinct.

"He was positively burning with love

